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THE HON. SRI C. RAJAGOPALACHARI:—" (a) & (b), Yes, the Government have, on the certificate of the Advocate-General, Madras, that Part I of the book contains objectionable matter within the meaning of section 3 of the Press (Objectionable Matter) Act, 1951, passed orders declaring copies of this part of the book forfeited to Government under Section 11 of the Act. This action was taken after the Hyderabad Government took action on the same lines and as the book was printed and published in this State. The reasons for this action are that it contains passages which are calculated to incite and encourage persons to resort to violence and sabotage, to seduce members of the police forces from allegiance and duty and undermine Government."

Improvements to the Government Hospital at Nellore.

* 625 *Q.*—SRI S. VEMIAH: Will the Hon. the Minister for Health be pleased to state the improvements made to the Government Hospital, Nellore, by way of (1) accommodation, (2) staff and (3) new buildings, if any, from 1946 to 1952?

THE HON. SRI A. B. SHETTY:—" A statement [a] is place on the table of the House."

Allegations against the panchayatdars of the Madakasira Co-operative Credit Society.

* 626 *Q.*—SRI V. BALAKRISHNAN: Will the Hon. the Minister for Co-operation be pleased to state—

(a) whether representations have been made to Government and the Registrar of Co-operative Societies that the panchayatdars of the Madakasira Co-operative Credit Society are functioning illegally and against the circulars of the Registrar, No. D. 19569/47-14, dated 28th May 1947, and R.C. No. 173075/49-B, dated 22nd December 1949; and

(b) if so, the dates of the receipt of such representations and the action taken by the Government?

THE HON. SRI D. SANJIVAYYA:—" (a) Yes, Sir.

" (b) A copy of the petition signed by Sri R. Siddana Gowd, M.L.A., and addressed to the Deputy Registrar, Anantapur, was received by the Registrar on 1st April 1953. Another copy of the petition was received by the Government on 6th April 1953."

Contour bunding in Madanapalle East and West Firkas.

* 627 *Q.*—SRI D. SEETHARAMIAH: Will the Hon. the Minister for Land Revenue be pleased to state—

(a) whether the Government are considering to start contour bunding in Madanapalle East and West Firkas; and

(b) if so, when?

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[a] Printed as Appendix IX on pages 552–553 infra.